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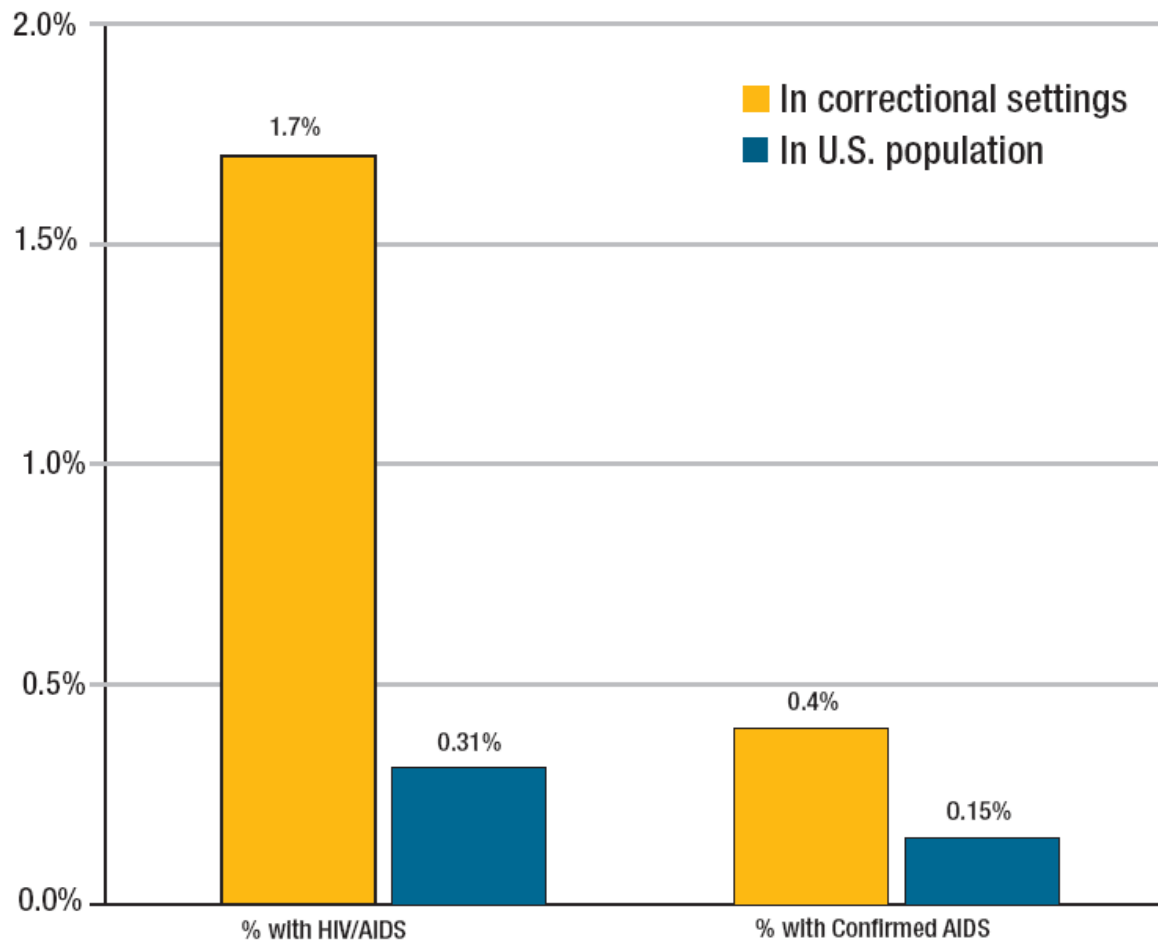
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“The degree of
civilization in a society
can be judged by
entering its prisons.”

– Fyodor Dostoyevsky

HIV in Correctional Settings: Implications for Prevention and Treatment Policy

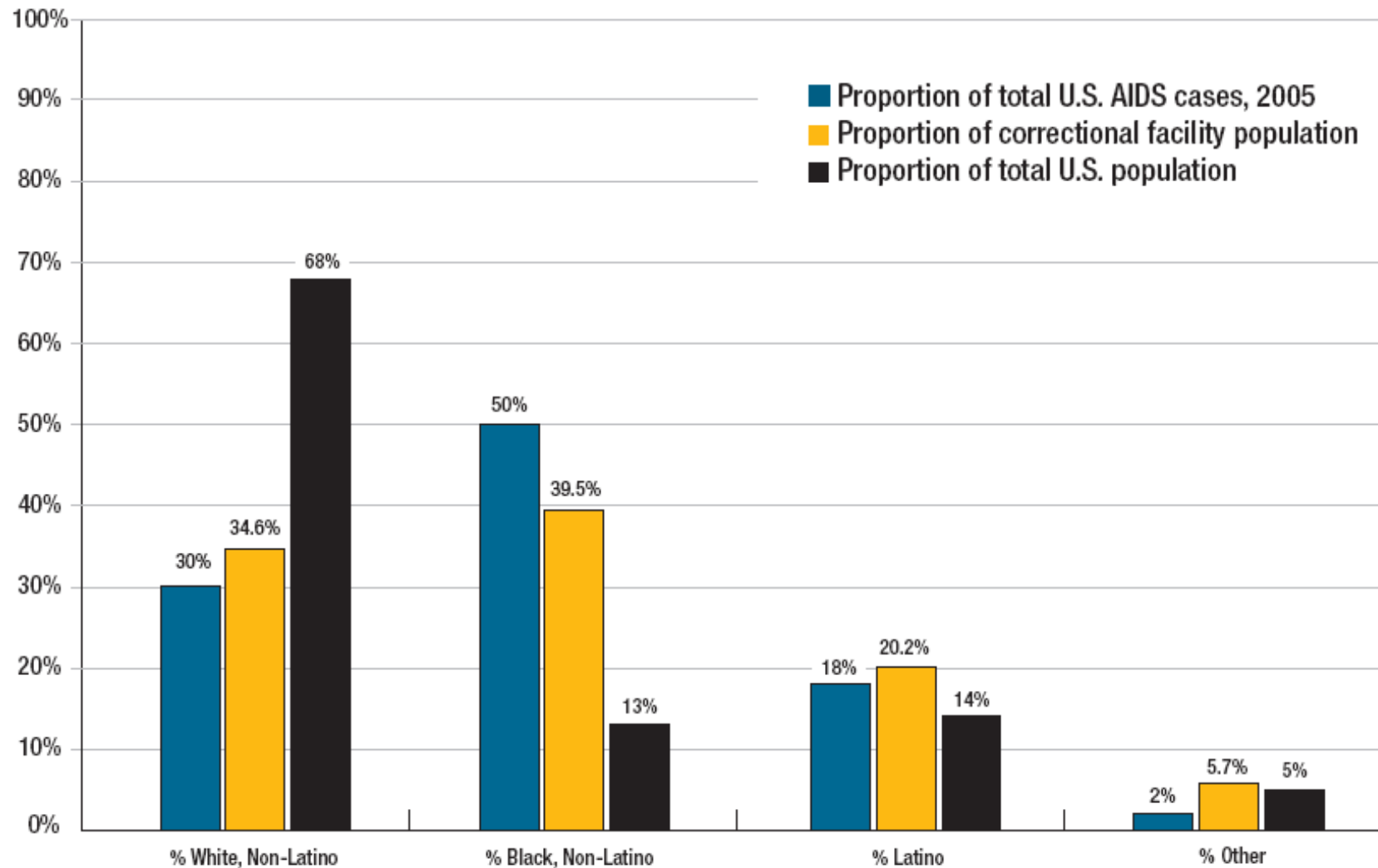
Figure 1
Prevalence of HIV/AIDS in State and Federal Prisons and in the U.S. Population in 2005



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Figure 2
Disproportionate Impact of AIDS and Incarceration on Minorities, 2005



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